

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Applicant : Honary, Hooman  
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

SIR:

Applicant hereby petitions for a one month extension of time to respond to this Office Action.

In response to the Office Action mailed on May 25, 2006, the period for response having been extended herein to September 25, 2006 by payment of the requisite fee for a Petition for Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.